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### TO THE BENEVOLENT ORDERS.

Dr. Campbell Fair Commends the Noble Work of Such Societies.

The Rev. Dr. Campbell Fair delivered his annual sermon to the various fraternal and beneficiary organizations of the city last evening. The meeting was attended by representatives of the following organizations: The A. O. U. W., Knights of the Macabees, Knights of Honor, Order of the Chosen Friends, Royal Arcanum, The Order of Elks. Besides these, several individual members of other orders were present.

"Charity" was the subject of Dr. Fair's address. He said he enjoyed the pleasure very much which he had annually of addressing the beneficiary societies of the city.

"What do I see before me?" asked the speaker. "I see associations representing \$2,000,000,000 of dollars throughout the United States, the object of which is to provide against pauperism. I see one organization that has paid \$40,000,000 in benefits since its organization to widows and orphans. There is one organization in the audience that pays daily \$15,000 for the same purpose. The benefits derived from these organizations can hardly be estimated. The amount paid in the year 1899 was \$20,000,000. I am frequently called upon to visit homes where the father and husband lies upon his death bed. I would not think I was doing my duty as a Christian minister if I did not advise him to provide for time as well as for eternity. I know of nothing that preserves friendship so steadfastly as the lodge system. It is a friendship factory. The members keep their vows inviolate and try to preserve an honest friendship. The lodge gives a friend and keeps him steadfast. I wish I could build a church on the plan of a lodge room. The members never turn their backs to each other as members of the church too often do. The Elks furnish a good example of brotherly love and charity, and I thank God for the organization of Elks. One example will suffice to prove their brotherly affection. A young member of the order left the city some time ago to engage in business among strangers. He was taken ill, and was confined to his bed for four months without money and without friends. The case was reported to the lodge, and his wants were attended to. The young man's expenses were paid from the lodge exchequer, and \$400 in all was forwarded to him. St. Mark's church nor any other church ever paid \$400 to relieve the wants of any one member. The money was sent cheerfully. What this order has done any other would do under similar circumstances. If it is the duty of a man to do a thing, and he does it not he is dishonest. Any man who lives up his income and says his neighbor can support his family after he is dead is dishonest. We sometimes hear objections to lodges from a religious and business standpoint. There can be no conscientious religious objection to lodges. Go into a lodge room, you find the holy bible, the chaplain. Each member is called upon to express his reliance upon God. All these objections fritter away and the advantages become stronger upon a close investigation. The speaker closed his address by saying that after having made his peace with God he had nothing better in his last hour than to be able to hand over to his wife and relatives a certificate in one of the benefit associations.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES.

The Y. M. C. A. Will Celebrate Its Twenty-Sixth Anniversary.

Extensive preparations are being made by the members of the Y. M. C. A. for their twenty-sixth anniversary, which occurs next Sunday evening. The meeting will be held in Hartman's hall, at which time the president and general secretary will present the work of the association. E. W. Haire, a member of the board of directors of the association will deliver the principal address. State Secretary Clarke will be present and will conduct the young men's meeting in the afternoon. Music for the occasion will be furnished by the Schubert club. Matters pertaining to the interests of the new building will be discussed, but the members announce that no solicitations will be made at the meeting.

### PROBLEM OF THE RACE.

The Rev. J. B. Massiah Will Lecture at St. Mark's.

The Rev. J. B. Massiah, rector of St. Michael's church of Cairo, Ill., will deliver an address at St. Mark's church Friday evening. The reverend gentleman is one of the ablest and most renowned colored orators in the United States. His church is composed of ex-slaves and their descendants, who settled in Cairo during and following the war. He visited Europe last year, and upon invitation delivered an address in St. Paul's cathedral and Westminster Abbey. Reports immediately went out that he was the ablest colored orator in the world. His subject Friday evening will treat of the present condition of his race.

### Unearthing Their Plunder.

Detectives Gast and Jakeway have already found about \$75 worth of the goods stolen by young Brothers and Lux from Robert Shanahan's house, No. 430 West Bridge street. They have also in their possession a quantity of tools and other articles which connect the juvenile thieves with several other robberies which have recently been committed.

### FILLED WITH FOND HOPES.

An Equal Suffragist Talks Cheerfully of the Future.

Mrs. M. E. Redell discusses the question of equal suffrage entertainingly and prophecies future success in a spirit which indicates that she strongly believes that the millennium of women's suffrage will dawn ere long. She said the other evening in conversation with a reporter for the Herald:

"It is my earnest opinion that women's suffrage will come as a great many other things have—unexpectedly. The negro was not franchised because the white man loved him, but because it was a political expediency. Some day,

perhaps, suffrage will be recognized in the same way. It was expected that a state convention would be held in Battle Creek by this time, but the president of the state organization has had sickness in her family, in consequence of which it was postponed. When the convention is finally held it is probable that many new ideas will be presented. I can see every day concessions that are being made to us. We are gaining ground all the time in that way. During the past year I hardly think there has been any increase in more radical, but I assign as a reason for that the fact that the question is divided into many parts and there are so many espousing the cause on different theories. But that is natural. The same thing has characterized other great movements. The result will be that at some future date the diversity of ideas now extant will be amalgamated into one, thereby centralizing work. When this is accomplished, advancement will be more rapid. All we can expect to do now is to agitate the question, bring it before the people so that they will have a better understanding of it, and do such other things as will have a tendency to promulgate its interests. Why shouldn't women have the right to vote? There is no just reason why they shouldn't. As a whole they are as intelligent as men and vastly more honest. They are as competent to vote as foreigners who are ignorant of the law or men who are not educated. I dare say that if women were voting today and should an educational qualification be regarded the vote cast by the women would be the largest. All of this legislation affects the women at this day as deeply as it does the men. They are bread-winners. They work, and every day the number of women who earn their own living is increasing. In Wyoming women can vote. They can run for offices. They can be elected to congress and the senate and, provided they can secure the nomination, to the presidency of the United States. But, of course, it is not expected that we will elect a president in the near future."

### Where is Mrs. Wood?

Hughes & Hastings, Attorneys of Seattle, Washington, have written a letter to the police here making inquiries about a Mrs. Wood, wife of Henry Masters Wood, at one time a resident of this city. The writers are anxious to locate the lady and say they have something of importance which she should know.

### Burglarized an Ice House.

Burt Dart was arrested yesterday by Detectives Gast and Jakeway for breaking into Bennett's ice house, on the railroad tracks, near Ninth avenue and destroying property. They broke the door and pulled out the straw, thereby damaging the ice to a considerable extent.

### City News in Brief.

The Rev. George Henry Dole, after a three year's pastorate of the New church, corner North Division and Lyon streets has decided that he could not remain with the church another year and has accepted a call from Bath, Me. The Rev. George Nelson Smith of Leelanaw county, will fill the pulpit for present.

The Rev. Dr. Campbell Fair, who was placed on the program for the dedicatory exercises of the Knights of the Macabees Thursday evening will not be able to attend on account of the beginning of the Lenten season.

The South Episcopal mission has secured a hall on South Division street, opposite Eleventh avenue, in which to hold its services. The Rev. J. Brewster Hubbs held the first services there yesterday afternoon.

Grand Rapids township democrats will hold their caucus in the Lake View house at Reed's Lake, March 19, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for township officers.

A pleasing entertainment will be held in St. Mark's mission hall, No. 18 Plainfield avenue, this evening. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the musical program.

The Rev. Mr. Hunsberger of Muskegon will lecture on "The World's Wonder—Yellowstone Park" at the Plainfield-avenue M. E. church tomorrow evening.

The Sons and Daughters of Malta Castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle, will give a prize masquerade in their hall on Lyon street on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cornell are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luce of Dowagiac.

### ON VESUVIUS' CRATER.

A Trip to the Summit of the Old Volcano.

NAPLES, Italy, February 6.—It is now fully four hours since we left our hotel, and we have reached the railway station. The railway is very simple affair. It aims straight as an arrow from the upper station to the lower and is marked by a stationary engine at the bottom. Nothing is seen but two lines of rails, with a double rope on either side of each rail, and a series of wheels over which the ropes pass. A single car, or carriage, with accommodations for ten persons, rests on each line of rail, and when the apparatus is in motion one car is always descending while the other ascends. The brakes are so contrived as to grip with great firmness on each side of the rail, so that if any accident should befall the rope the safety of the car is provided for. It does look formidable to find one's self and fellow passengers suspended by a rope on an incline where the gradient is something like seventy feet in a hundred; but among the many passengers that performed the ascent I did not see one hysterical person. Some seven or eight minutes is all that is needed for the trip, and when you step out on the upper platform you have risen 1,400 feet, and there is nothing now but the crater of the mountain between you and the summit. The crater is, or was, two-fold—the old and the new. A climb of ten or fifteen minutes brings you to the old, which consists of an irregular surface of rock and gravelly lava, through which jets of steam are hissing here and there. The day before our ascent was rainy, and after rain there is always an increased rush of steam. Another short but steep climb brings you to the new crater. The steam was making a tremendous fuss, in fact, it quite filled the crater, and prevented us from seeing what in a calmer condition is usually witnessed. Usually the walls of the crater are quite distinct, brilliantly colored, with the hot, half-liquid lava visible below, so that adventurous guides can boil, or at least heat for you, an egg, or bring up to you a copper coin scorched and imbedded in lava. It is dangerous for strangers under any circumstances to go down to the lava, only a few weeks ago a scientific gentleman lost his life in the attempt. For us the night presented was a huge cauldron steaming and puffing in great excitement, and every other minute belching out a mass of stones, which rose high in the air and were carried by the wind to the other

side. It was really a torment to see old Vesuvius in such a rage. We got some idea of how he would look if instead of a few stones, he had accumulated a sea of lava in his cheeks and was discharging it with his usual recklessness on the country below. In fact, this was just what he did a few weeks before our visit. The steam was highly sulphurous, and as it was puffed in one's face with no sort of ceremony, it was difficult to breathe. Coughing all round was the order of the day and the ladies, of whom there were many, suffered severely. A short inspection was all that could be conveniently done. And this was Vulcan's workshop of the ancients. The old god was busy with his bellows below, and the steam and the stones were accompaniments of the process of forging thunderbolts for Jove. It was not a difficult flight of the imagination in days when gods were believed or half believed in, and when the laws and operations of nature were enveloped in mystery and confusion. But, though we smile at the fancies of the old mythology, we seem to have come very little nearer to an intelligent understanding of this remarkable phenomenon. AN EXHIBIT.

### DIED.

JONES—Mrs. Elizabeth Jones (Aunt Lydia) at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. David Williams, No. 117 Fifth avenue, of pneumonia of the heart, aged 79 years.

Funeral from the Spring street M. E. church Tuesday afternoon, March 1, at 2 o'clock. Friends of family invited.

Cherryman & Bowen, funeral directors, No. 5 Fountain street.

### The Ladies.

The pleasant effect and perfect safety with which ladies may use the California liquid laxative Syrup of Figs, under all conditions, makes it their favorite remedy. To get the true and genuine article, look for the name of the California Fig Syrup Co., printed near the bottom of the package.

### Milk Dealers, Attention!

The Grand Rapids Milk Dealers Association will meet Tuesday, March 1, at 7 p. m., at the residence of M. T. McNamara, 63 Lake avenue. Every milk dealer in Grand Rapids is invited and requested to attend.

JOHN PALMER, Sec.

Mince meat 8 cents per package at Hatch's.

Six bars Santa Claus soap for 25 cents at Hatch's.

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Black bass, fat for a king, at Dettenthaler's.

Millard & Brooks' chocolates 30 cents per pound at Hatch's.

The best mince meat 80 package, 90c dozen at Killen's Grocery.

See Kidder's milk prices this week.

Dried blackberries and English currants 5 cents per pound at Hatch's.

South End Ladies' Literary club concert, Simmons' hall, Monday evening, February 23.

Choice butternut 14 cents per pound, or ten pounds for \$1.30 at Hatch's.

Mince meat 8 cents per package at Hatch's.

Florida oranges 20c dozen at Killen's Grocery.

This is surprise week at Kidder's.

Dried blackberries and English currants 5 cents per pound at Hatch's.

Pure buckwheat flour 60c per sack at Killen's Grocery.

Best family flour \$2.10 per hundred at Hatch's.

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Royal and Dr. Price's baking powder 40 cents per pound at Hatch's.

Choice salmon 12 1/2 cents per can at Hatch's.

If you want a first class suit of clothes, go to Holland and the Hatter and Furisher, No. 3 South Division street. A first class cutter is employed and a perfect fit guaranteed.

Choice Florida oranges 20 cents per dozen or 50 cents per peck at Hatch's.

Dried peaches 10c per pound; dried apples 5c pound at Killen's Grocery.

Large pickles 5 cents per dozen at Hatch's.

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Republican Meeting.

There will be a meeting held at the circuit court rooms, Lyon street, to perfect the organization of the Lincoln club, Thursday evening, March 3, at 7:30. A general invitation is extended to all persons who would like to join an active republican club. After the business of the meeting is transacted, addresses will be made by good speakers.

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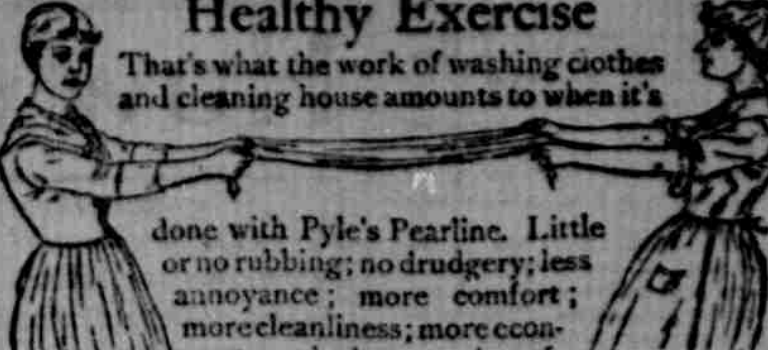
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